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## REMEMBRANCE of the DALEKS

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**The Doctor** "President-Elect of the High Council of Time Lords, keeper of the legacy of Rassilon, defender of the laws of time, protector of Gallifrey..." Once simply "Doctor", the errant Time Lord has, it seems, recalled his responsibilities since he left Iceworld. Having set up the Daleks for a grand fall at the hand of the Hand of Omega, an artefact he appears to regard as no more than a cosmic Rottweiler, this Doctor – unlike two earlier incarnations – does not hesitate in the execution of his plan. "You tricked yourself," he goads Davros, cruelly in the scant seconds before the sure and certain annihilation of the Dalek race. And does one detect a hint of megalomania in this new persona? "What if I could change people's taste buds?" What, indeed...

*"You can always judge a man by the quality of his enemies."*



**Ace** The only companion of the Doctor's to be brave – or foolish – enough to call the Daleks "wimps", Ace's attitude problem leads her to save the day at the junkyard, courtesy of her illicit cache of Nitro-9 (indeed, she demonstrates an obsession with all kinds of "serious hardware" – from high-explosive grenades to Badford yard – which transcends the tomboyish to verge on the pathological). When it comes to people, however, she's hopelessly out of her depth, misjudging Mike and, surprisingly, finding herself unable to challenge Mrs Smith's separatist sensibilities face-to-face.

*"Who are you calling small?"*



**Mike** His loyalties divided, cocksure racist Sergeant Smith quickly determines that his favours lie with the xenophobe Ratcliffe. And might one detect something rather Oedipal in the make-up of a man who follows his mother's political credo and whose instructions to a prospective girlfriend include "Have dinner ready"? Accorded a fine send-off, Mike's tragedy is to be as much a victim of his time as a victim of the Daleks, guilty by Association.

*"It's just that you have to protect your own. Keep the outsiders out..."*



**Ratcliffe** An embittered, black-starred, ex-Mosleyite – "This 'country fought for the wrong cause in the last war. When I spoke out, they had me imprisoned" – builders' merchant and Nazi apologist Ratcliffe finds the post-war East End receptive to the brand of home-grown fascism practised by his mysterious Association. Clearly one who sees himself as a leader of men – "someone who knows when to be lenient, and when to be harsh" – he is, nonetheless, revealed to be "a slave... born to serve the Daleks."

*"People need a firm hand."*



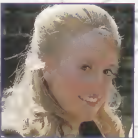
**Gilmore** RAF Group Captain 'Chunky' Gilmore, plunged into the heart of an interracine alien conflict, has no small difficulty in coming to terms with the situation. "This is preposterous," he barks. "A death ray. It's unbelievable." "Whatsoever is in there, my men can handle it" – and resents inaction, later moaning, "I just think we should be doing something." But by now, he's seen enough to know that "only a fool argues with his Doctor". And why his men call him 'Chunky', we've no idea.

*"What am I dealing with? Little green men?"*



**Rachel** "I like surprises," claims chief scientific adviser Professor Jensen, sans conviction, rendered nauseous by the sight of a Kaled mutant, one suspects she doesn't have the stomach for adventure. Her cosy life in Cambridge academia hijacked by Gilmore – and she is the only member of his Group whom he addresses by their Christian name – she is soon reduced to fetching and carrying for the Doctor. "Do you think I'm enjoying having some space vagrant come along and tell me that the painstaking research I've dedicated my life to has been superseded by a bunch of tin-plated pepperpots?"

*"You know, after this is over I'm going to retire and raise begonias."*



**Allison** A physicist with a penchant for the physical – witness her clubbing of an exposed Kaled mutant, affected with a zealous enthusiasm – Miss Williams plainly has little time for her political masters, and a healthy contempt for military etiquette, muttering a seditious "Ja wohl" when required to obey the Group Captain's command. She's quick to grasp alien concepts such as matter transmission – the result, perhaps, of her acquaintance with the absent "Bernard"...

*"I wish Bernard was here."*



**Davros** Now little more than a talking head, Davros' megalomania has extended to claiming himself Emperor of the Daleks. In more ways than one, though, the rot has set in; deluded by visions of omnipotent grandeur for himself and the species that he fashioned in his own image, he causes the absolute destruction of his home planet. Paranoid as ever, he exits hastily in an escape pod which falls directly down: one might surmise, therefore, that somewhere on 1963 Earth the mad scientist to end all mad scientists lives on in hiding...

*"Save your insults for the weak-minded, Doctor."*

It was the dawn of a new age. In 1953 the British Rocket Group sent an experimental three-man mission into space. Only one man returned; an infected astronaut who mutated into an enormous – and undeniably alien – organism. Tracked to Central London by the Group's director, the creature was destroyed before BBC television cameras – and the eyes of the nation. Mass panic was only averted by the Home Secretary who, in an emergency broadcast, assured the public that they had merely witnessed an episode of an excessively realistic science fiction drama, quoting a 1938 Orson Welles radio play which had caused similar hysteria Stateside as evidence. The BBC, in turn, issued a statement apologising for unnecessarily misleading “those of a nervous or sensitive disposition” [Ironically, the BBC were to find the public's appetite whetted for such a genre of entertainment and later, in November 1963, launched a long-running science fiction serial which would occasionally draw upon elements of the real-life drama.].

Government agencies were now alerted to the existence of extra-terrestrial life, a spectre only previously raised by a number of apparently inexplicable incidents; one in Tibet in 1935, as reported to the War Department by a Professor Travers, and one in Northumbria in 1943, where a top-secret cypher project was subject to “a disturbance”.

The possibility of alien incursion into the British Isles became an actuality in 1955, when an incident at an Essex refinery – again involving the BRG – posed global implications. Covert plans were already in place to fend off Communist invasion; in 1946 Winston Churchill coined the phrase “iron curtain” as an analogy for the annexation of, and military build-up in, Eastern

Europe and the Soviet states. A high-level agreement was made that responsibility for monitoring possible extra-terrestrial incursion would be detailed to the select RAF Group already monitoring Communist airspace; only a small elite within High Command were made aware of

their hidden agenda. Matters were compounded further by the discovery, at Christmas 1958, of a five million-year-old skull – and later a Martian spacecraft – in Knightsbridge which sparked a mass panic. A cover story was issued. The next year, American CIA agents Hawk and Weismuller informed High Command of UFO sightings in Wales.



Anthropologist Professor Travers' pictures of what he claims is a robotic alien life-form discovered in Tibet. The professor returned to London with a specimen.



CIA sources claim that this “bus” is a disguised alien spacecraft which destroyed an American communications satellite.

# The Shoreditch

**D**uring the autumn of 1963, shortly after Prime Minister MacMillan retired due to ill-health and his scandal-ridden administration reeled, an on-standby High Command were made aware of an inordinately high number of peculiar occurrences in the Shoreditch area of London – a multiple-corroborated UFO sighting, and the disappearances of several individuals associated with the local Coal Hill Road secondary school; two teachers, the caretaker, a pupil and her grandfather, a scrap-merchant new to the area.



Group Captain Gilmore – although unaware of his superiors' suspicions – was ordered to assemble a team to monitor the area; in particular, the school and the scrapyard at Totters Lane. A local man, Sergeant Mike Smith, became his right-hand man, and Professor Rachel Jensen, drafted from Cambridge, became Chief Scientific Adviser to the Group – but only after Gilmore had invoked the Peacetime Emergency Powers Act [Military staff were, of course, all subject to the Official Secrets Act]. She was joined by physicist Allison Williams, a member of the British Rocket Group. Regular troops were hand-picked. The team's Command Headquarters was a nearby Territorial Army Centre.

Using a fleet of unmarked and coded vans to scour the streets, Jensen and Williams detected sources of rhythmically-pulsed magnetic fluctuation, repeated in sequence

*The only known photograph of 'the Doctor' – Rachel Jensen's assistant – seen here at the Totters Lane site.*



COAL HILL ROAD  
SHOREDITCH  
SECONDARY SCHOOL

December 1963  
From the Acting Headmaster

Dear Parents,

It has been a difficult Michaelmas Term. Many of you have written to express your condolences to the family of our late Headmaster, and they, in turn, have asked me to thank you all for your kind thoughts.

The Governors hope to appoint a new Headmaster in the New Year. The teaching vacancies in the History and Science departments have now been filled, as has the position of School caretaker. Our new staff members look forward to meeting you themselves in due course.

At the last Parent Teachers Association meeting of the term, concerns were aired regarding the gas leak responsible for the damage to the Science Room and other areas. I can assure you all that the Gas Board have carried out a full inspection of the premises, and that no other faults have been found. All broken window-panes have now been replaced, and the Science Room will be returned to use shortly into the Epiphany Term.

The Bursar shall be launching an Appeal in the early months of next year, with the intention to raise funds for the replacement of the Trophy Cabinet. Donations received from the collection at last Tuesday's successful Nativity play will be processed into the Appeal Fund. A sponsored walk, a brick-a-brack sale and other ideas will be discussed at the next meeting of the P.T.A. I would remind all of you that the P.T.A. meets in the school assembly hall on the first Monday of every month. Your input is valued, and refreshments will be served.

School will re-open at 9 o'clock sharp on Tuesday 7th January. On behalf of myself and the staff, I should like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

Yours sincerely  
*Rachel Jensen*

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**REDS LAUNCH  
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'SPACESHIP'**  
Moscow, Friday

**R**USSIA today launched a "dreadful apparatus" and space, Moscow Radio reported. The apparatus is called Polycos.

The announcement said the equipment on board the vehicle was working normally.

But there was no description of the vehicle.

Polycos (the word means "light" in Sanskrit) was said to be a "light" in Sanskrit, "light" in Sanskrit, "light" in Sanskrit.

The spacecraft was put into orbit above the Earth of 100 miles.

The craft was then reported to be a "light" in Sanskrit, "light" in Sanskrit, "light" in Sanskrit.

over 100 miles, the broadcast.

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**Nina Dyer In  
Car Crash**

Paris, Friday – Pioneer London model Nina Dyer, aged 35, was injured in a collision today between her sports car and another car at a cross roads near the Arc de Triumphe.

She was treated at the American Hospital for cars and became

**Gold Casualty**

One person was killed and seven injured in a collision today between a car and a truck at a cross roads near the Arc de Triumphe.

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**"Evening News" Report**



# ch Incident

and therefore artificial in origin, around the school and the scrapyard. "The Shoreditch Incident" – as it later became known – was just beginning. After an encounter in the scrapyard which resulted in the death of two of his men, Group Captain Gilmore requested – and was granted – a discreet evacuation of the area, which was staged under the peacetime nuclear accident provisions. Given the sensitive state of the then-current government, the initial stages were carried out under the aegis of the Counter-Intrusion Measures (United Kingdom). The D-notice office was informed, a press blackout imposed and cover stories prepared. Meanwhile, the facilities at Jodrell Bank, Fylingdale and the Royal Observatory, Greenwich, were asked to search the skies for evidence of higher orbital activity.

By now, the Group were being assisted in their efforts by two civilians – a young woman, and an older man who answered only to the title 'Doctor' ...



Sergeant Mike Smith provided protection for 'the Doctor's' associate, an unidentified local girl.

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Shoreditch Area



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By ARNOLD TURVEY  
"Evening News" Parliamentary  
Reporter

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Frederick Ernie, Power Min-  
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PATHOLOGY REPORT

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SECRET

Two specimens were taken during the course of the investigation. Both comprise organic matter, and both have been extracted from a mechanical 'shell', or casing.

The first, observed at the Totters Lane site, is the cruder of the two. A semi-amoeboid mass measuring approximately 12" in diameter, it appears to possess vestigial – or wasted – limbs, with limited motor function. Its sensory organs are similarly underdeveloped. Likewise its internal organs, which are heavily compressed. It is – as far as one is able to ascertain – asexual. It has a substantial brain cavity.

The second, observed at the Coal Hill Road site, is altogether different – either more highly-evolved, or, possibly, engineered. It has functional appendages (a chitinous claw was seen to exert substantial pressure in the field) and a form of mechanical prosthesis grafted into its body, forming a direct synaptic link between the creature's nervous system and its manufactured shell. However, beyond some identifiably muscular tissue in its extremities, the specimen has a similar bulk and composition to the first.

Both samples appear to have a basic circulation system. Plasma groupings defy preliminary analysis.

A third type of creature was observed by several independent witnesses in the Shoreditch area. No specimens have been forthcoming. I attach a sketch drawn by one observer.

Professor R. Jensen MSc, DSc (Can.), BSc  
Chief Scientific Adviser

3rd December 1963



# The Daleks

**H**is power-base upon Necros destroyed, Davros is taken to Skaro to face trial by a jury of his own creations. His return home, however, leads to the factionalisation of the Daleks. By unstated means, Davros fashions himself Emperor and continues to experiment upon both the basic Kaled mutant form and the travel machine it is encased in. His Imperial forces, distinguished by their gold-and-white livery, become the dominant strain upon Skaro. Davros' ultimate ambition is to track down the Time Lords' fabled Hand of Omega and use it to alter Skaro's sun, transforming it into a vast power source, establishing an equal footing with the omnipotent Gallifreyans in the field of temporal mechanics – and becoming Lords of Time in the process. A renegade force of 'original' mutants led by the black Dalek Supreme, learn of Davros' plans for the Hand and plot to seize it for themselves. Using primitive time-travel technology, both factions travel to the last-known location of the Hand: the planet Earth, 1963 AD, a trillion miles and a thousand years from home ...



The alien landing-craft

## The Renegade Faction

"Little green blobs in bonded polycarbide armour", the renegade Daleks travel to twentieth-century Earth via a time controller – a touch-sensitive, electrically-charged, transparent sphere. The Dalek gunstick is a projected energy weapon which, upon humans, causes no external tissue damage, but massive displacement of the internal organs – to fatal effect. It also appears to deliver a massive electrical jolt. The Daleks are resistant to artillery fire and explosive blasts, but are susceptible to a carefully-positioned canister of Nitro-9.

This renegade faction use a biomechanoid control system to help co-ordinate their hunt for the Hand. Frustrated by their dependence on logic and rationality, the Daleks use a young, imaginative humanoid, and connect him or her to the system. The child's intuition and creativity are then utilized by the battle computer. This humanoid can be controlled independently of the battle computer mechanism, can relay information directly to his or her controller, and gains the ability to emit a lethal charge of electrical energy from his or her fingertips. The Daleks' command can be broken by the death of the child's controller (the black Dalek Supreme, perhaps) – a traumatic, but not fatal, experience.

These Daleks will readily collaborate with, or coerce, human beings sympathetic to their ambitions – but only to the limit of their usefulness to the Dalek cause.

## The Imperial Daleks

The Imperial forces appear to possess both greater resources and a higher level of technology than the renegade faction – an Imperial Dalek has a limited ability to defy gravity when negotiating difficult



The last of the alien machines was destroyed on the third day of engagement.

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**Twenty Years after the B...**  
**builders' merchants in Shoredit...**  
 The bomb exploded in the late afternoon, killing five workers and the yard's proprietor, one Mr. Ratcliffe. It is not known how the weapon came to be unswitched. Eyewitnesses reported a pall of smoke visible from across the Thames.  
 Troops clearing damage from a blast which had occurred the day previously at the nearby Coal Hill Road secondary school – the earlier incident believed to have been caused by a gas the school's cellar – already evacuated surrounding areas when engineers arrived by helicopter to examine the scene. Residents were forced down in chaos, but community centres and areas were made safe before being cleared.  
**Police Cordons**  
 They say against strike 'noisy'...

yesterday.

Shoreditch cafe owner Mr. Harry Fowler. "This weekend in Shoreditch, we've proved 'em wrong!" Mr. Fowler had rushed to the service from the local maternity hospital, where his wife had earlier given birth to twins. When asked how the young ex-warden had managed to avoid Sunday's curfew, a Military Police spokesman had no comment to make.

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## MPs DISCUSS FUTURE OF GEORGE BROWN

THE FUTURE of Mr. Brown as Deputy leader of Opposition was under discussion.

He refused to reveal whether, transmission of power and labour may involve Lord power. Mr. Brown said and said, reviewed the progress coming winter in victory Council for sitting Brown.



terrain, for example. They journey to Earth in a huge mother-ship which holds as many as 400 Daleks, can maintain a powered geostationary orbit, and has surveillance equipment "capable of spotting a sparrow fall at 15,000 km". It is armed with weapons capable of eradicating a planet from space, and is also able to sterilize particular areas. From the bridge, Daleks can detect and track specific power sources emanating from the planet below. The ship is equipped with elevators and an emergency escape pod.

In its docking bay is an assault shuttle, which can hold at least six Daleks. The shuttle has a bridge on its upper level, with an operator or pilot wired into its controlling mechanisms. The bridge has a navigational star chart and also, presumably, a stock of sucker appendages. A grille leads down to a lower holding level. The shuttle has automatic ground defences but an unprotected service hatch on top, and uses a vertical take-off and landing method.

Imperial Dalek attack squads are transported by both transmat and assault shuttle. Surface areas are given identification numbers or co-ordinates, eg "two-five-zero-six". Attack squads - led by a Force Leader - include a Special Weapons Dalek, which has no conventional sensory apparatus, and bears a single cannon as opposed to the usual gunstick. It seems to be mute, and its lack of an eyepiece suggests that it uses other means, such as radar, to detect targets. It may, or may not, contain an operator.

The Daleks also use shuttlecraft to establish a transmat terminal on the target planet. The transmat [matter transmitter] uses flux circuitry elements, and has an automatic activator which can be used to beam down Daleks from the mother-ship 300 km away. They usually leave an operator on station in case of malfunction. The transmat can be rendered temporarily inoperable if caused to dephase at the critical point - and, consequently, overload - but can be rendered permanently inoperable via the judicious application of an energy-enhanced baseball bat.

Dalek operations cause magnetic fluctuation in the immediate vicinity. They communicate via modulated signalling, and their transmissions can be picked up on Earth radio apparatus, although which band they use is uncertain. Human beings can be placed under Dalek control via the use of a small device planted behind the left ear. This may also enable two-way communications. The commandeered individual can, apparently, be killed instantly by the Daleks from afar.

These Daleks are susceptible to attack from anti-tank rockets (ATRs).



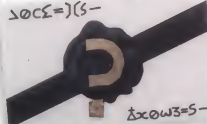
One of the alien machines, retrieved from a street near Coal Hill.

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leave the service so suddenly,  
but I do so love the goodbyes.

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